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Alexandra Building, Hongkong.
Hongkong, November 16, 1909. 1424

ALLEGED ATTEMPTED MURDER.
Sensational Affair in Kowloon.

A sensation was caused in Kowloon on Saturday evening when it became known that Mrs. Quinn, of 3, Rose Terrace had been shot in the back.
It is stated that a domestic quarrel arose about 8 p.m. between the injured woman and her husband, a Chinese named George Quinn, and it is alleged that he drew a revolver and fired three shots. He appears to have made a precipitous departure but the police having been communicated with he was arrested by Sergeant Davis at the Star Ferry Wharf as he was leaving for Hongkong.
Meanwhile Mrs. Quinn was removed to the Government Civil Hospital where the bullet was extracted before Mr. E. R. Hallifax, at the Magistrate's office and the case was remanded. Mr. J. H. Gardiner appeared for prisoner.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The Telegram quoted below, was received at the American Consulate general, Hongkong, from the Manila Observatory:—
Manila, 8th, 9.30 a.m.
Cyclone or Typhoon E.N.E. of Aparri, inclining northward.
[Note.—It is due to the proximity of this typhoon that Hongkong has been suffering from a severe heat during the past two days. Were a typhoon to be permanently anchored a little south of the Loochoos (if such a phenomenon was possible) life in Hongkong would be unbearable. Ed. C.M.]

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The typhoon is situated to the S.E. of the latter. It appears to be moving now towards N.E.
Pressure has increased slightly over S.E. Japan, and given way moderately on the E. coast of China. It is highest over the Pacific to the S.E. of Japan.
Moderate or fresh S.W. and S. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel, and over the northern shores of the China Sea.
Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.
Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-morrow:—
1.—Hongkong and Neighbourhood: S.W. and S. winds, moderate; fair.
2.—Formosa Channel: S.W. winds, moderate or fresh.
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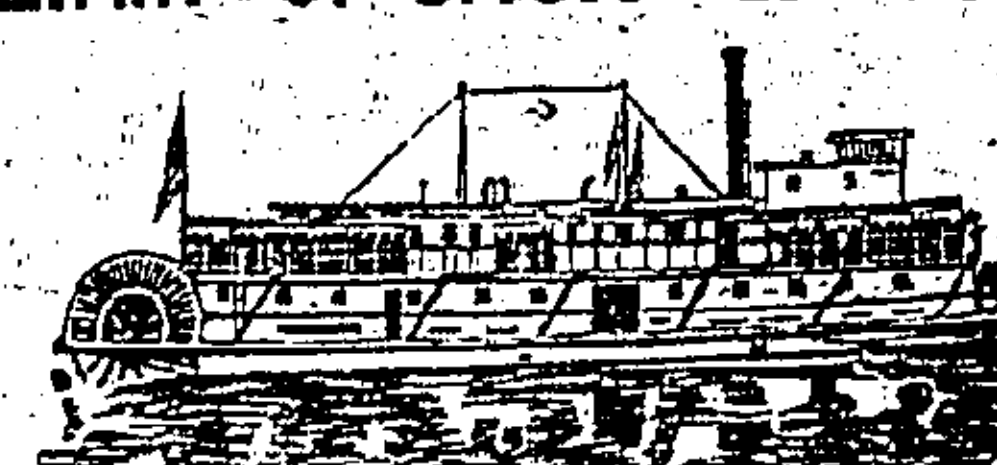
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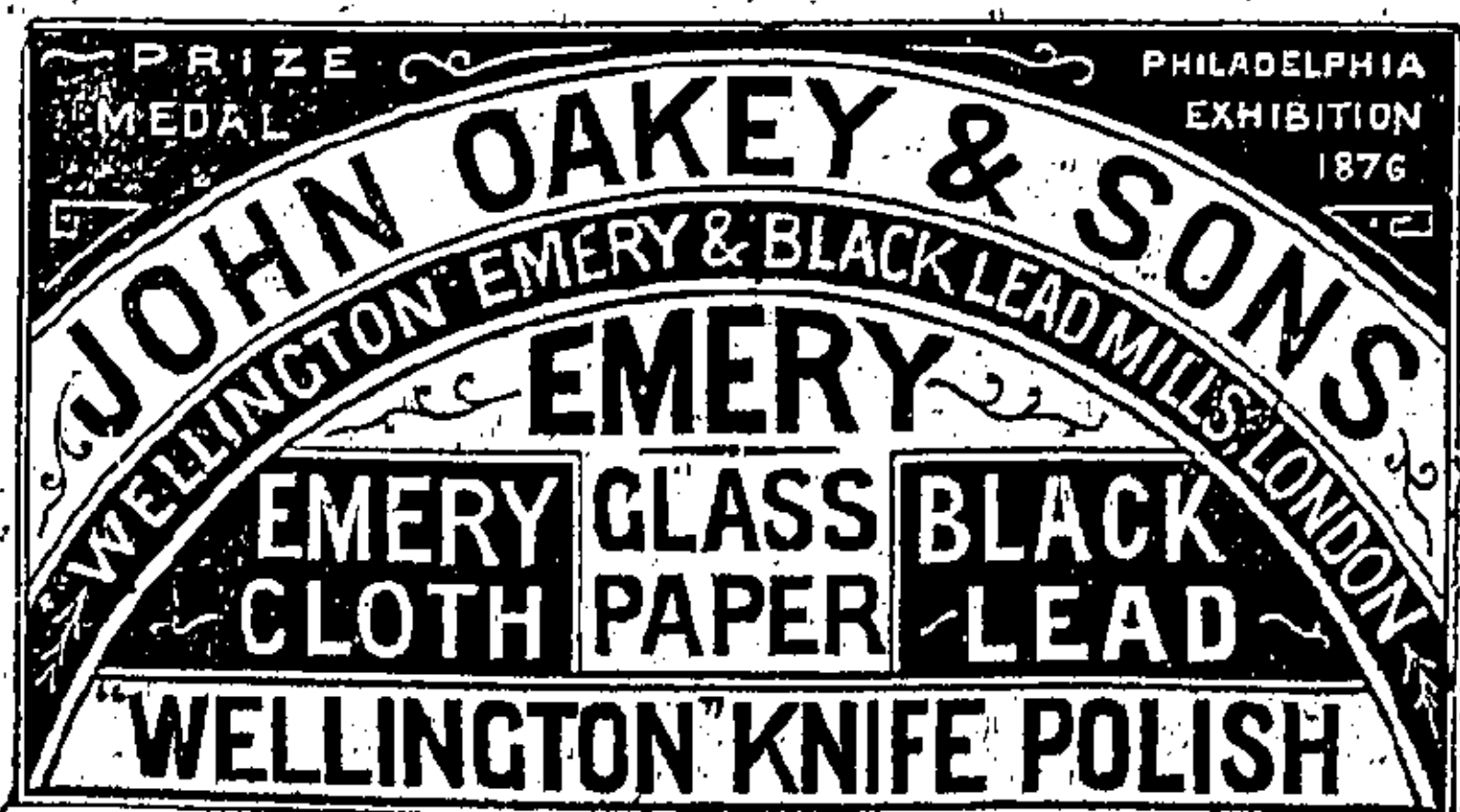
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Head—Nga Lau...	60
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Scap—Nga Lau...	15
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Kidneys—Nga Lau...	8
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Liver—Nga Lau...	12
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Poultry.

Chicken—Kai Chai...	12
Capon, Large, Small—Shi Kai...	30
Ducks—A...	22
Doves—Pan Kuo...	24
Eggs, Hen—Kai Chai...	15
Fowls, Canton—Kai Chai...	30
Guinea—Kai Chai...	30
Goose, Wild—Shi Kai...	24
Mus Deer—Wong Kuo...	24
Hare, Shanghai—Chi Chong...	24
Partridge—Chi Chong...	24
Pheasant—Shan Kai...	24
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kuo...	24
Quail—Um Chiu...	18
Rice Birds—Wo Pa Chou...	24
Snipe—Chi Chong...	24
Turkeys—Duck—Phor Kai Kuo...	70
Hen—Chi Chong...	24
Wild Ducks, Shanghai—Shi Kai...	24
Teal—Shi Kai...	24
Wild Ducks, Canton—Sang Shiu...	24

Fish.

Barramundi—Kai Yu...	10
Bream—Kai Yu...	15
Carp—Kai Yu...	15
Catfish—Kai Yu...	15
Crabs—Kai Yu...	20
Cuttlefish—Kai Yu...	15
Shrimp—Kai Yu...	15
Squid—Kai Yu...	15
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Starfish—Kai Yu...	15
Sturgeon—Kai Yu...	15
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Tuna—Kai Yu...	15
Wahoo—Kai Yu...	15
Yellowtail—Kai Yu...	15
Zander—Kai Yu...	15

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Beef, whole and prime cut—Moi Lung Pa...	20
Corned Ham Ngau Yuk...	22
Roast—Shiu...	22
Breast—Nga Lam...	15
Scap—Tong Yuk...	20
Steak—Nga Yuk Pa...	22
Cutlet—Nga Lau Shiu...	28
Sausages—Nga Chong...	9
Bollock's Blade—Slow...	9
Tongue—Nga Lau...	80
Corned—Ham Ngau Yuk...	60
Head—Nga Lau...	60
Heart—Nga Lau...	15
Scap—Nga Lau...	15
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PUBLIC SCHOOL ETIQUETTE.

It is strange, says *The Times*, that no German has yet written a great book on English public school etiquette. It is a subject which, studied seriously and exhaustively, might throw much light on folklore and on the state of mind which produces the curious customs of primitive races. We know that physical characteristics, especially in the young, are often inherited from their parents, and that lion cubs are born with spots which vanish as they grow older. So the boys of civilized parents often retain a primitive habit of mind, and a public school is a kind of primitive society that can be studied far more fully and safely than most savage tribes. It is true that boys, like savages, might be inclined to deceive an intelligent and especially a foreign inquirer; but there are also masters who would check their information and protect the researcher from inventions. There is also this age about the customs of public schools, that one can often see them in the making and notice how they change from time to time; for the generations of schoolboys are short, and many of our public schools are still young. The taboo that is universal now was unknown, perhaps, ten years ago—that is to say, within the memory of a man who still has a clear recollection of his boyhood. Such a man may even have played his part in the establishing of that taboo, and may be able to explain what were his motives for doing so. There is this evident difference, however, between a savage and a schoolboy, that the savage taboo often arises from a universal fear, whereas the school taboo is always caused by the small boy's fear of the big and by the big boy's desire to insist upon his bigness or his age or on some finer distinction. But the school has this in common with the tribe, that the warrior—that is to say, the athlete—is everything in it. There is not even a priestly caste to rival him; for the masters, if we may compare them with the priests of a tribe, have a power which is quite arbitrary, and not based in any way on the consent of the community. Thus it is usually the athlete who establishes the taboos; and naturally he exempts only himself from them, with perhaps a few boys who have attained to an official position through less glorious labours in the class-room.

But it is a curious fact that the small boy, on whom the taboos fall heaviest, is usually the first to resent any infringement of them. To him the arbitrary customs of his school seem laws of nature, and he is eager to do his duty in punishing any one who disobeys them. No small boy ever could disobey them except through ignorance and his ignorance never proves to be bliss. For the other small boys, like the criminal law, hold ignorance to be no defence; but, unlike the criminal law, they usually punish before they explain the nature of the crime. The reason is, no doubt, partly that they do not see why any one else should for a moment be free from the taboo they enjoy exacting the penalty; but they also have a genuine horror of the sacrifice. It seems to them morally wrong that a small boy, hot from a private school, should wear the wrong kind of collar, or turn up his trousers, or roll up his umbrellas, or wear his cap with the peak turned the wrong way, or put on a greatcoat merely because he feels the want of one, or do anything else which proves that that he is not aware of his own insignificance. For so long as he is insignificant his main duty in life is to be aware of the fact and to show it by his dress and behaviour, which must be as different as possible in all respects from that of, say, the captain of the Eleven.

One might suppose that the captain of the Eleven had reached a pitch of glory that did not need to be emphasized by any external show—that he would be known, like Napoleon, wherever he went. But he and those nearest to him in eminence are often jealous of their privileges; and it is a curious fact that masters themselves are sometimes infected with a sense of the sanctity of public school etiquette. Not that they conform to it, or dress and behave as if they knew that they were not members of the warrior class, but that in rare cases of rebellion they have been known to insist upon conformity.

It is said that lately at a great public school some of the older boys who were not of the privileged class made up their minds to wear a kind of collar which hitherto only the privileged class wore. They did so and representations were made to them which, being purely verbal, they disregarded. As the rebels were big and strong, the privileged class were at a loss how to enforce their privilege. They therefore sent a deputation to the head master, who considered the matter gravely, and at length issued an edict which was in the nature of a compromise. It forbade the wearing of these collars except by a privileged class, but enlarged the class. Thus the privileged were victorious, but they were in the position of a Church which relies on the power of the State to suppress a heresy. They must have felt that the magic of their privilege was gone. A boy who wore the forbidden collar in future would be in the same position as a boy who went out of bounds. If the schoolmaster wished to put an end to the stigma of the rebel, he could not do better than begin by enforcing it. That would reduce it to an obvious absurdity, and this master in question, back on the other hand, he may have held the old-fashioned view that it is the duty of the State to suppress heresy, although such suppression has always been apt to make heresy popular, and although the State is often not a good judge of such things.

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HONGKONG, MONDAY, MAY 9, 1910

OPENING A NEW CHAPTER.

With the proclamation of GEORGE V. as King of Great Britain and Ireland and the British Dominions overseas, Emperor of India, the British empire begins another chapter of its wondrous history. What will be inscribed upon its pages time as it slowly unravels the skein of our destinies alone can reveal. The passing of Queen Victoria meant the closing of an epoch, the end of an age, practically the rounding off of a century whose sands had completely run out. The removal of King Edward from the scene of this many and varied activities will not have quite such a startling effect. Rather do we imagine that in future ages historians will look upon him as the beginning of a new era which his immediate descendants continued and amplified by following the policies he inaugurated, so that the unwritten legacy of EDWARD VII. to the British Isles will become as all important as the famous legacy of IRENEUM was for Japan in pre-Meiji days.

The new King comes to the Throne with all the prayers and hopes of a mighty congeries of nations that Providence may bestow upon him length of days, wisdom to understand, and ability to put into practice all the higher qualities of king-craft. He has been furnished a splendid example in the Sovereign who has sunk to rest encircled practically by all the world. We know comparatively little of the capacity of our new King to fulfil the heavy obligations which now devolve upon him. Following his father's illustrious example he has, as Prince of Wales, led a life of most studied self-effacement. We know of him as a naval officer keen on his work, like all members of the older Service are, as a brilliant shot at the covert side, but of his intellectual qualities we have had little inkling. True it is that on his return from his tour through India, Australia and South Africa he electrified the venerable shades of the old Guildhall in London with a speech which bore the significant text of "Wake up England," but how much of this was his own original thought, how much was contributed by his special advisers we shall never know. Again on a more recent occasion he took the opportunity to impress upon the

nation at large the urgent necessity of returning to the old ideal of efficiency if we are to keep our place in the onward rush of the world. His frequent attendance in both Houses of Parliament on occasions of great debates upon which hung important issues is also a sign of a keen interest in the current politics of the hour which we may take as being a most happy augury for his future. But for all that, he is like an unknown quantity. Years ago when quite a lad he travelled the world with his elder brother in H. M. S. Bacchante, and left most favourable impressions behind him wherever he went. Old residents of Yokohama, where the two Princes spent some time, still tell tales of his boyish pluck and daring in many a keenly sailed race on the broad waters of Tokyo Bay, as likewise of his escapades in other surroundings where the Prince was lost in the light-hearted naval cadet to the scandal of the grave and reverend seigneurs of his suite.

An impression has gone abroad that he has developed a rather Puritanical and unbending cast of thought, that he takes a more rigid and narrower view of life than his very tolerant predecessor; that he lacks the genial bonhomie, charm of manner, and ready adaptability which made EDWARD VII. able to accommodate himself to all classes of his subjects and to fascinate the world. England, however, will be none the worse for a little infusion of Puritanical ideals in the highest places, if they are not pushed to the extreme. But whatever King GEORGE's intellectual abilities, endowments and capabilities we feel sure that he will honestly strive to do his best to rise to the full level of his magnificent opportunities, and that he will endeavour to pass on the Crown to his successor as pure and unimpaired as he now receives it; perchance to enhance its more permanent glories.

REQUIEM.

Edward, before thy quiet bier
The nations bow in silent grief;
Mourning for one who nobly bore
The burden and the loneliness
Of kingly state.

Too few thy years of Kingship,
Though rich the harvest Peace has reaped
Through thine endeavours;
Too short the space penurious Fate
Allotted for such a task as thine.

When most we need thee
A call has come to lay aside an
earthly crown;

To place in feeble hands, perchance,
our tangled destinies,
To leave to lesser minds, for weal or woe,
The straightening of the crooked
ways.

Edward, thy peoples' love hath
shrined thee
As one who never faltered
When he heard the call of Duty;
As one who never deemed too hard
The service of a Nation's need.

Thy mission ends not with thy
passing hence—
Across the ages will thy Spirit shine,
Guide and Exemplar;
Helping the nation that was served
so well
To keep the Peace with Honour all
unsmirched.

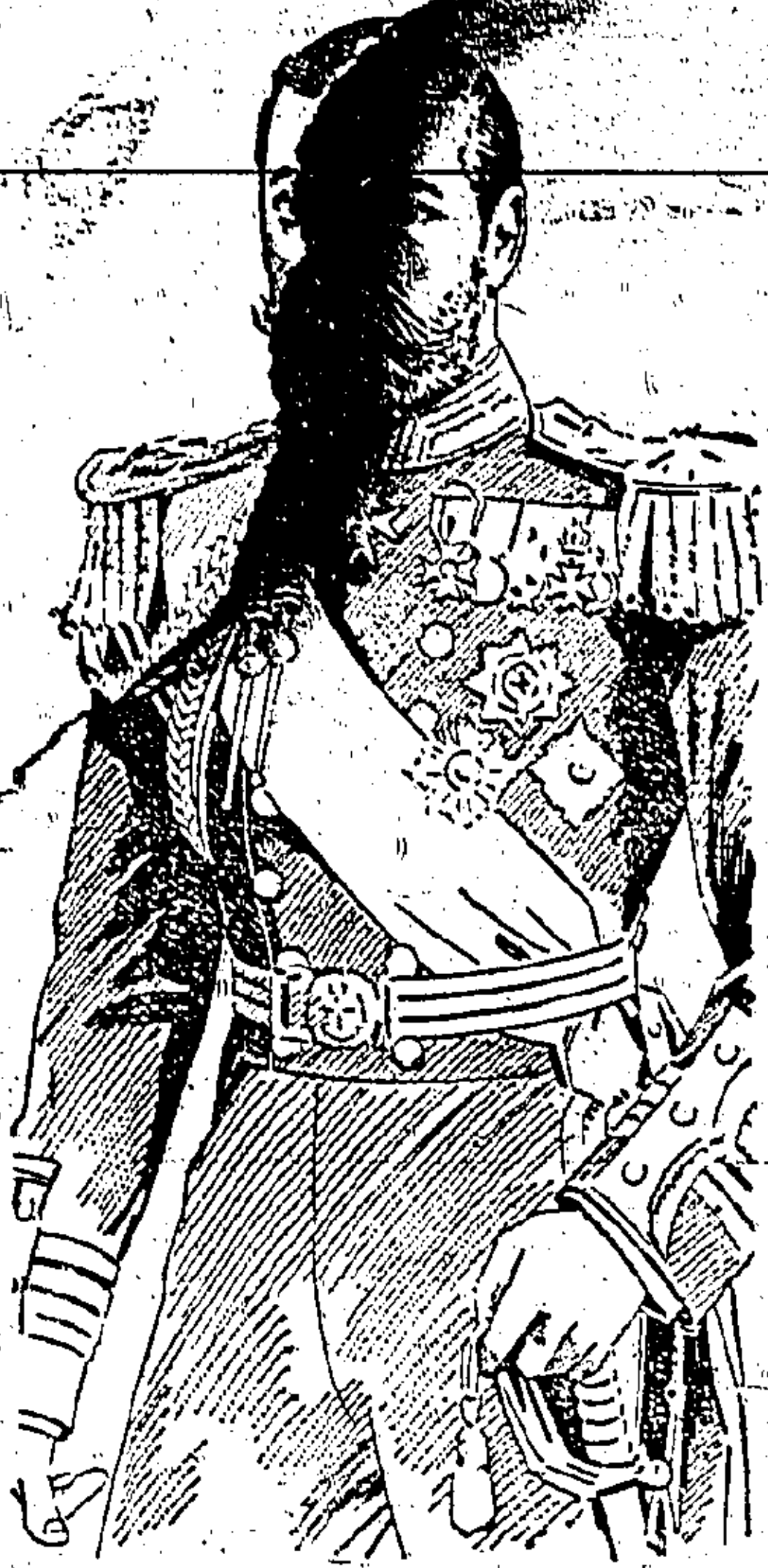
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Mr W. F. Gray, acting agent of the North China Insurance Company, Alexandra Buildings, was found dead on Sunday evening in the King Edward Hotel at about half-past seven. A man of most quiet and reserved ways, outside business he was hardly known. For many years he served in the Yokohama office, where likewise he was conspicuous for his solitary habits. Heart failure was the cause of death.

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A CHARACTER SKETCH.

(Specially written for the "CHINA MAIL.")
A gentleman who was recently in England writes:—"The King is dead; long live the King." The old phrase rises involuntarily to the lips to-day as one reads the cablegrams from England. EDWARD VII. sleeps with his fathers—God rest him, for he had earned his peace better than many of the Kings who have reigned over us—and GEORGE V. reigns in his stead. What manner of man is this which the inscrutable workings of Providence has called at the age of 45 to reign over the biggest empire the world has yet seen? Of course up to the present he has been completely overshadowed by the fascinating figure of his father, but still a few people have caught glimpses of the man, and on the whole the impression he has conveyed is not unfavourable. A man of less showy physique and of slower intelligence than the late King EDWARD, he lacks also many of the qualities of address and manner which made his father so popular both in his own country and abroad. International politics was a game possessing infinite attractions for the dead King and he played it as a genius; his successor cares little for such a pursuit, his mind having been caught by the vision of the British empire to the exclusion of all other mundane matters. The sea claimed King GEORGE in his earliest years and moulded and trained him as only the sea can do. Thus many of his more distinguishing characteristics are those which we associate with the bluff, matter-of-fact sailors; and their virtues he fully reflects in his love of the domestic pleasures to be found in the quiet home circle of wife and children. With no taste for cards, social dissipation, horse-racing, or Club life, he is the very antithesis of his late father, and for this reason it is expected that his Court will be far less brilliant. EDWARD VII. delighted in the society of witty, clever, sparkling men and women; GEORGE V. is said to infinitely prefer the company of men who have done great things for the country and the empire. Men like Lord Cromer, Lord Milner, Lord Curzon, Lord Strathcona, and other great administrators and Pro Consuls will be of more importance in his entourage than they were in the late reign; while the astute financiers and the nouveaux riches, who flourished in the sunshine of King EDWARD's patronage, will, it is expected, be far less conspicuous and carry less social weight. In several respects, men see in their new King many of the characteristics of GEORGE III.—Farmer George. Like him he is British to the core. Honest, well-meaning, with a conscientious endeavour to do what is right; not brilliant, but ready to learn; fond of a quiet road in preference to a smart interchange of wit

and badinage,—such are some of the things I picked up concerning our new King during my last run Home. I do not expect that he is quite the "Squaretoes" that some people imagine, but I do expect that his influence upon the social life of England will be all for the better. Horse-racing and gambling, frowned on by the Court, will gradually assume their proper proportions in the social balance. The cult of the child will be more pronounced when it is fully realised that the new Queen places the education and proper control of her children in the forefront of her ideals. I expect that England will be as well served by—GEORGE V. as it has been by his father, but in a different manner, and for different ends.

KING GEORGE PROCLAIMED.

Under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, His Most Gracious Majesty King GEORGE the Fifth was proclaimed in Hongkong to-day. The ceremony took place at 5 p.m. on the Cricket Ground.

A platform in the centre of the ground was reserved for His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (Sir Francis May) and those persons in whose names the Proclamation was made, and there was an enclosure in front of the platform and a second one behind. The rest of the ground was reserved for His Majesty's troops and naval contingent. The sight was a most impressive one. The Proclamation of the new King was read by Sir Henry May as follows:—

Whereas it hath pleased Almighty God to call to His rest Our late Sovereign Lord King EDWARD VII. of Blessed and Glorious Memory by whose decease the Imperial Crown of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and all other his late Majesty's dominions is solely and rightfully come to the high and mighty Prince GEORGE FREDERICK ARTHUR ALBERT, We therefore

Sir Francis Henry May, Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Officer Administering the Government of Hongkong and its Dependencies, and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Hongkong and Vice-Admiral of the sea; Rear-Admiral Herbert Lyon, William Reeves Davis, Chief Justice of the Colony; Charles Wills, Robert St. John, Officer Commanding His Majesty's Forces in South China and Hongkong; Alexander Macdonald Thomson, Colonial Secretary; Marcus Warré Slade, Charles McNeill, Messrs. Colonial Treasurer; William Chatham, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Director of Public Works; John Milford Atkinson, Principal Civil Medical Officer; Edbert Ansgar Hewitt and Henry Kewick, Members of Executive Council; Francis Arthur Hazeland, Police Judge; Francis Joseph Baddeley, Captain Superintendent of Police; Arthur Winbolt Brown, Registrar General; Ho Kai, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Wai Yuh, Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, Murray Stewart and Edward Osborne, Members of Legislative Council; Deodraye Layton; Formusjee Nowrojee Mody, Knight; Augustus Shelton Cooper; Ho Fook, Yung Wa Chin; Leung Pui Chi; Ian Chu Pak, Aubrey Jacob David; William Hutton Potts; Frederic Edmund Stedman, Robert Gordon Shaw; Alexander Findlay Smith; and James Middleton Beck, Justices of the Peace; Now hereby, with one full voice and consent of tongue and heart, publish and proclaim that the High and Mighty Prince GEORGE FREDERICK ARTHUR ALBERT is now by the death of our late Sovereign of happy and glorious memory become our only lawful and rightful Lord GEORGE THE FIFTH BY THE GRACE OF GOD, KING OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND AND OF THE BRITISH DOMINIONS BEYOND THE SEA, HERE AND OTHERWISE EMPEROR OF INDIA, SOVEREIGN LORD AND OVER THE COLONY OF HONGKONG AND ITS DEPENDENCIES, to whom we do acknowledge full faith and constant obedience with all hearty and humble affection, beseeching God by whom King and Queen do reign to bless the Royal Prince GEORGE THE FIFTH with long and happy years to reign over us.

Proclaimed this 9th day of May, 1910.
After the Proclamation, a Royal Salute, was fired and the bands played God save the King, after which three cheers were given for His Majesty.

THE KING'S DEATH.

CLOSING INCIDENTS.

DATE OF THE FUNERAL.

King George's First Speech.

The New King Speaks.

King GEORGE, addressing the Council, said his emotion was such that he was not able to speak more than a few words. He recalled his father's words that so long as he drew breath he would strive to promote the best interests of the people. That promise had been carried out to the best his father's ability and it would be his earnest endeavour, under God, to follow his father's example in that respect. He himself had sustained something more than the loss of a father. He had lost king, father, and friend. His Majesty afterwards alluded to the deep sympathy shown by all parts of the Empire. It would be his earnest endeavour to always fully uphold the Constitution.

The Funeral.

The funeral will take place at Frogmore, most probably on the 21st May, rather than on the 14th May.

Royal Mourners for Funeral.

It is stated that the German Emperor, the President of the French Republic, King Manuel of Portugal, King Albert of Belgium, and King Haakon of Norway will attend the obsequies.

General Sorrow.

Manifestations of the deepest sorrow were evinced in every Colony and in all European capitals. This was especially so in Germany.

A Peaceful End.

A bulletin states that the King passed away peacefully at 11.45 p.m. yesterday in the presence of the Queen, Prince and Princess of Wales, the Princess Royal, Duke of Edinburgh, Princess of Victoria and Princess Louise.

Royal Children Present.

All the King's children were present at the end, except the Queen of Norway, who arrives on Sunday.

Unconscious at the End.

It is stated that His Majesty was in a comatose condition during the greater part of the evening, but that he rallied between nine and ten o'clock, and thereafter remained unconscious until the end.

A Sombrely Impressive Scene.

The scene outside the Palace was sombrely impressive, the huge crowd straining their faces against the iron railings despite the rain, hoping for better tidings.

The First Intimation.

The departure of the Prince and Princess of Wales for Marlborough House at 12.15 a.m. was the first intimation of the death of the King to the waiting people.

Active to the Last.

London, May 8.
The Times states the King refused to stay in bed yesterday morning and actually transacted business.

Courageous in the Face of Death.

Baron Knollys, His late Majesty's Secretary, says that the King faced his illness with courage and fortitude, and conversed as usual, except during attacks of coughing and choking. He had a bad paroxysm of coughing during

the forenoon, and these paroxysms recurred till the evening. The attacks took the form of failure of breath until His Majesty became comatose.

Nature of the Illness.

The Daily Express states that the actual cause of His Majesty's illness was an asthmatic cardiac affection. It was at first feared that an operation on the throat would be necessary. Professor Thomson was called in, but he declared that such an operation was unnecessary.

Interest in Prince Fushimi.

His Majesty insisted on transacting business. Among other things, he made inquiries as to the arrangements being made for the reception of Prince Fushimi for the opening of the Japan-British Exhibition. He made many criticisms of the arrangements, and insisted upon several alterations being effected.

Oxygen Resorted To.

It was ascertained in the evening that the constant coughing and the difficulty of breathing had affected the heart, the left ventricle of which was failing to act, and the inhalation of oxygen failed to relieve the Royal sufferer.

A Mourning Empire.

Sunday was observed in deepest mourning in London and throughout the Empire.

Effect of the Death.

There is a general suspension of business and a postponement of all social and political events.

Queen Alexandra's Grief.

The grief of Queen Alexandra is most pathetic. Since an early hour she has been moving in and out of the death chamber and refuses to be comforted.

Parliament Meets.

Parliament met at three o'clock, but the proceedings were of the briefest. The Lord Chancellor and about fifty peers swore allegiance to the new King. There was a sparse attendance of members of the House of Commons.

Meeting of the Privy Council.

A meeting of the Privy Council took place at St. James' Palace. Thousands of people respectfully saluted King GEORGE as he drove to the Palace. He was followed by Mr. Winston Churchill, Home Secretary, and the Archbishop of Canterbury. There was a large attendance of Privy Counsellors in uniform. The brilliant scene lasted an hour.

Latest Funeral Arrangements.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, May 9.
The latest plans, though only unofficial, are to the effect that the funeral will take place on the 20th instant.

Spiritual Ministrations.

A Court Circular has been issued stating that during the last moments of His Majesty's life the Archbishop of Canterbury said special prayers at a short service which was held in the King's room, the Royal Family being present.

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DEVANHA	8000	May 28	MOULTAN	10000	June 19
ASSAYE	7378	June 11	CHINA	8000	June 28
ARADIA	6863	June 25	PERSIA	7981	July 10
DELTA	6863	July 9	MAIWA	8800	July 24
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PALAWAN	4700	June	1	July	18
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STELLA	5834	June	25	Aug.	14
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VICTORIA, B.O. & SEAT- TLE, Via KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, SEMIWU & YOKOHAMA	TAMBA MARU, Capt. K. Sato, Tons 7000 AWA MARU, Capt. S. Ishikawa, Tons 7000	TUESDAY, 24th May, at Noon. TUESDAY, 21st June, at Noon.
VICTORIA, B.O. AND SEATTLE	SADO MARU, Capt. S. Hirotani, Tons 7000	SATURDAY, 21st May, from KOBE.
SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, VIA MANILA, THURS- DAY ISLAND, TOWNS, VILLAGE AND BRISBANE	NIKKO MARU, Capt. M. Yagi, Tons 6000 KUMANO MARU, Capt. M. Winkler, Tons 6000	FRIDAY, 13th May, at Noon. FRIDAY, 16th June, at Noon.
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SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE	COLOMBO MARU, Capt. E. Combes, Tons 6000	WEDNESDAY, 11th May, at Noon.
NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA	KUMANO MARU, Capt. M. Winkler, Tons 6000	FRIDAY, 13th May, at Noon.
KOBE & YOKOHAMA	KAMO MARU, Capt. F.L. Kommen, Tons 9000	THURSDAY, 12th May, at Noon.
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